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Docket No. 206584US90

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Tsuneyuki HAGIWARA, et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/841,044

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April 25, 2001

EXAMINER: STOCK JR., G.

FOR:

AERIAL IMAGE MEASUREMENT METHOD AND UNIT, OPTICAL PROPERTIES MEASUREMENT METHOD AND UNIT, ADJUSTMENT METHOD OF PROJECTION OPTICAL SYSTEM, EXPOSURE METHOD AND APPARATUS, MAKING METHOD OF EXPOSURE APPARATUS, AND DEVICE

MANUFACTURING METHOD

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It I:	s hereby requested that a three month extension of time be granted to March 8, 2004 for
	filing a response to the Official Action dated: September 8, 2003
	responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
	filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
	responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
	filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
	filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$950.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney

of Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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